



*Actors Ensemble of Berkeley presents*

*2015 spring Staged Reading Series*

**FALSTAFF!**

**Tuesday, April 7th, 2015 at 8 p.m.**

**one night only!**

**Berkeley City Club**

**Adapted from Shakespeare and directed by Robert Estes**

**CAST**

Melissa Claire .....1st Falstaff, Ensemble  
Erika Bakse.....2nd Falstaff, Ensemble  
Lauren Klingman.....3rd Falstaff, Ensemble  
Karina McLoughlin.....4th Falstaff, Ensemble  
Susannah Wood.....5<sup>th</sup> Falstaff, Ensemble  
Lynne Hollander..... 6th Falstaff, Ensemble

Lijesh Krishnan.....1st Hotspur, Ensemble  
Stan Spenger.....2nd King Henry, Ensemble  
Matthew Surrence.....2nd Hotspur, Ensemble  
Pierson Bishop.....1st Prince Hal, Ensemble

**Robert Estes** has been working with **Actors Ensemble** for a number of years now, having directed our main stage productions of *Curse of the Starving Class*, *Heartbreak House*, and *Rock 'n' Roll*, as well as numerous staged readings. Later this summer he will be directing our production of **FALSTAFF!** for our first show of our summer season in John Hinkel Park, opening June 20<sup>th</sup> and closing on July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend. After that he will be directing Tom Stoppard's *The Real Thing* for Masquers' in Point Richmond. He has recently started his own theatre company, Anton's Well, which just recently presented a production of Pinter's *Old Times* here at the Berkeley City Club.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**FIVE WOMEN WEARING THE SAME DRESS**, by Alan Ball ("Six Feet Under"), directed by Zara Benner, our Spring 2015 main stage show –Fridays/ Saturdays at Live Oak Theatre till April 18<sup>th</sup>!  
(matinee April 12<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m.)

*Staged Reading: LOOSE KNIT* by Rebeck, directed by Yael Aranoff, 8 p.m. Tue. April. 14<sup>th</sup> at the Berkeley City Club.

More info always at: **[www.aeofberkeley.org](http://www.aeofberkeley.org)**